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plan the reserves of the reorganized or merged plan. If more than one plan survives, the reserves must be divided among the surviving plans in proportion to the number of enrollees continuing to subscribe to the surviving plans.

[54 FR 52339, Dec. 21, 1989; 55 FR 22891, June 5, 1990]

# § 890.505 Recurring premium payments to carriers.

The procedures for payment of premiums, contingency reserve, and interest distribution to FEHB Program carriers shall be those contained in 48 CFR subpart 1632.170.

[57 FR 14324, Apr. 20, 1992]

### Subpart F—Transfers From Retired Federal Employees Health Benefits Program

### §890.601 Coverage.

An annuitant (a retired employee or survivor under part 891 of this chapter) who is enrolled, or is eligible to enroll, under the Retired Federal Employees Health Benefits Program (part 891 of this chapter) is eligible to enroll under the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program under this part.

[39 FR 20055, June 6, 1974]

# §890.602 Opportunity to change enrollment.

An annuitant eligible to enroll under §890.601 may elect to enroll on and after August 8, 1978.

[43 FR 35018, Aug. 8, 1978, as amended at 62 FR 38440, July 18, 1997]

## §890.603 Effective date.

The effective date of an enrollment under §890.602 is the first day of the first pay period after the election is received by the retirement system, but not earlier than January 1, 1979.

[43 FR 35018, Aug. 8, 1978; 43 FR 38569, Aug. 29, 1978]

### §890.604 [Reserved]

# § 890.605 Persons confined on effective date.

Benefits may not be limited for persons who, on the effective date of an

enrollment under §890.602, are confined in a hospital or institution.

[43 FR 35018, Aug. 8, 1978]

## Subpart G [Reserved]

# Subpart H—Benefits for Former Spouses

SOURCE: 51 FR 15748, Apr. 28, 1986, unless otherwise noted.

#### §890.801 Introduction.

This subpart sets forth policies and procedures for obtaining health benefits coverage that are unique to former spouses of Federal employees and retirees.

#### §890.802 Definition.

In this subpart, a *Qualifying court order* means a court order acceptable for processing as defined in §838.103 of this chapter or qualifying court order as defined in §838.1003 of this chapter.

[57 FR 33599, July 29, 1992]

### §890.803 Who may enroll.

- (a) Except as specified in paragraph (b) of this section, a former spouse is eligible to enroll in a health benefits plan under this part provided that—
- (1) The former spouse whose marriage to an employee, employee annuitant, or a former Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) or Foreign Service employee is dissolved has not remarried before age 55; and
- (2) The former spouse was enrolled in a health benefits plan under this part as a family member at any time during the 18 months preceding the date of the dissolution of marriage; and

(3)(i) The former spouse currently receives, or has future title to receive (A) a portion of annuity payable to the employee upon retirement based on a qualifying court order for purposes of 5 U.S.C. 8345(j) or 5 U.S.C. 8467; (B) survivor annuity benefits based on a qualifying court order for purposes of 5 U.S.C. 8341(h) or 5 U.S.C. 8445; or (C) a survivor annuity elected by the employee under 5 U.S.C. 8339(j)(3) or 5 U.S.C. 8417(b), including a former spouse who is designated as an insurable interest pursuant to §\$831.613(a)